

The Hon. Ricardo S. Martinez

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

\$18,000 IN U.S. CURRENCY, AND ANY
ACCRUED INTEREST, *et al.*,

Defendants.

and

MICHAEL WALKER,

Claimant.

NO. CV21-1291-RSM

**ORDER GRANTING JOINT
MOTION TO LIFT STAY**

THIS MATTER comes before the Court as a Joint Motion to Lift Stay by Plaintiff United States of America, by and through its counsel, Tessa M. Gorman, Acting United States Attorney, and Krista K. Bush, Assistant United States Attorney, and Claimant Michael Walker, by and through his counsel, Richard J. Troberman. On November 3, 2021, the Court ordered this civil forfeiture action stayed, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §§ 981(g)(1) and (g)(2). Dkt. No. 13.

1 The parties have now informed the Court that they have reached an agreement to
2 resolve this civil forfeiture case. The Court having considered the parties' request and
3 being fully advised in the matter, finds that it is appropriate to lift the stay at this time.

4 Therefore, it is hereby

5 ORDERED that the parties' motion to lift the stay of this civil forfeiture
6 proceeding is GRANTED and the STAY is LIFTED.

7 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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9 DATED this 19th day of October, 2023.

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12 RICARDO S. MARTINEZ
13 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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